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TURKS CAPTURE AMERICANS?

That 100 American citizens have been seized on the Island of Nicaria and made prisoners by a Turkish warship, was the substance of a cablegram received by the Greek Brotherhood of Pittsburg, Pa., from Alexandria, Egypt, yesterday. The dispatch was immediately forwarded to the State Department at Washington, with the request that the American government take immediate steps to have the Americans released. It is doubted in Washington whether the people supposed to be held prisoners are Americans. Nicaria is one of a group of islands in the Aegean Sea known as the Southern Sporades, which lie off the western coast of Asiatic Turkey. It is west of the Island of Samos and north of the Island of Patmos, being considerably larger than the latter. The nearest city of consequence is Smyrna, distant about 80 miles.

Asylum Destroyed.

Norristown, Pa., July 10.—Over 2,000 inmates of the state insane asylum were thrown into a panic today when a fire destroyed the house and barn of the asylum steward and threatened a nearby cottage in which were housed a large number of women inmates. All, however, escaped. The fire loss is $75,000.

Awaits Son with a Slipper

New Haven, Conn., July 10.—Furious that Burr S. Peck, her seventy-seven-years-old son, had married May Bryan, who says she is 22, in New York yesterday, Mrs. Sarah Peck, aged 95, prepared today to welcome him with a slipper when he arrives. Peck, who is a real estate dealer, was wedded by Alderman Goldschmidt in the New York City Hall. He at first had difficulty in getting a license. Convinced that the aged man was the bridegroom, the license was finally issued and the ceremony performed. "I'll have his marriage annulled," said mother Peck today. "The idea of my boy eloping; I'll show him. Wait till he gets home."

Bookmakers Indicted.

New York, July 10.—Twenty-two bookmakers, among them many of prominence of eastern tracks were indicted today by the Kings county grand jury for violation of the betting law. Bail was fixed in $500 in each case and the bookmakers were paroled for 24 hours to permit them to get bondsmen.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold of Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug., 27, 1906" Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

More Trouble in Servia.

Vienna, July 10.—Rumors of a most startling revolutionary development in Servia reached Vienna today. Owing to an interruption in the telegraph service the stories could not be confirmed, but it is known that King Peter is concentrating troops in Belgrade, the Servian capital, to repel the threatened attack.

The loyalty of the troops is doubted and King Peter is in a state of fear bordering on collapse. There are rumors that the same fate awaits the royal household as befell King Alexander and Queen Draga, who were slain in the palace five years ago by a mob which was in league with the palace guards.

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While Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell, John H. Lennon, Frank Morrisson, Joseph Valentine, James Duncan, and Max Morris were holding a conference on labor matters in Denver yesterday, Deputy Sheriff Thomas Lawson served them with papers to appear as defendants in a suit brought by the W. R. Thompson Marble Company, against them as leading officers of the American Federation of Labor, for $50,000 for alleged damages to its business by a strike and boycott. These officers will have to appear before a commissioner July 15 to give testimony, and this will keep them in Denver a week longer than they intended to stay. The trial has been set for August 4. Officers of the Colorado State Federation of Labor and the Denver Building Trades Council are codefendants.

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$2.50 Parasols, $1.50.

Lot 2—All-silk White, Blue, Brown and Pongee Taffeta, hemstitched; white linen embroidered; pongee with taffeta trimmed inserting or border; silk embroidered dot on pongee, and other styles These have sold for $2.00 and $2.50. Clearing price..... $1.50

$3 to $4.50 Parasols, $2.59.

Lot 3—All-silk Taffeta and Pongee; plain tucked, hem stitched, and embroidered. These are all made of the best material in the best manner. These have been selling all this season for $3.00 to $4.50. Clearing price..... $2.59

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THE democrats of the country, through their delegates in convention assembled in Denver yesterday evening, completed their ticket by nominating by acclamation John W. Kern, of Indiana as their candidate for vice president. His selection followed the withdrawal of the names of Charles A. Towne, of New York; Clarke Howell, of Georgia, and Archibald McNeill, of Connecticut, which had previously been presented. It is now Bryan and Kern against Taft and Sherman. That is the line-up. And the slogan of the democratic party's campaign is "Shall the People Rule?" The great Denver convention has passed into history, but its work and its product remain among the most remarkable of all the party's history. It named a ticket that was almost a unanimous choice, it adopted a platform against which there remains among the delegates hardly a murmur of dissent. The delegates go home convinced that the ticket and the platform constitute a winning combination, and there is buoyant hope in every breast of victory in November. The middle west has been picked out as the chief battleground, and Ohio, Indiana and Illinois as the scene where the tide shall be turned. The selection of Mr. Kern for the vice presidential nomination was made because of the theory that it is the middle west that the democrats must look to. It is planned that Bryan shall have a majority of electoral votes independent of New York, and if New York can be won it will only be to make the victory so much the greater. The difference between the Chicago and the Denver conventions is that the former was controlled absolutely by the president of the United States who directed every move made by the men he had dictated as delegates, whereas the latter was composed of men chosen by their fellows without dictation from anyone and who freely and manfully exercised their own will. The Chicago convention ratified the will of Theodore Roosevelt—the Denver convention ratified the will of the people. The issue now having been squarely drawn there remains but for the democrats to do their plain duty—vote for their party nominees.

THE Wall street bankers are evidently going to put up a record breaking campaign fund for Mr. Taft, although he would rather they would not be so public about it. Isaac Seligman said just before leaving for a trip to Europe that prosperity will follow the election, if Mr. Taft is president. He believed that "American politics will see the greatest victory for the republican party that it ever has known." Of course, this great republican victory, if it materializes, will be followed by a still greater prosperity for the Wall street interests, or they would not be so enthusiastic about it. No wonder the republican leaders refused to allow the publicity bill to pass the Senate and refused to endorse publicity of campaign contributions in their national platform.

IN 1904 the republican party stood pat and declared the protective tariff was the cardinal principle of the party. The republican party also claimed to be the advance agent of prosperity, but there came a panic and business depression. This year the republicans acknowledge that the tariff should be revised and agree to do so after election by adopting a maximum tariff which means "the greatest attainable." So that instead of tariff reduction we are promised a still higher tariff. No wonder the trusts and tariff protected monopolists are supporting the republicans. But why should the rest of us do so?

THE Denver convention not being packed with federal officeholders and dominated by the president and organized to nominate a candidate selected for it, it was natural that it should not have run quite so smoothly as the Chicago convention, and that it should have taken it longer to do its work. A town meeting is not quite so precise and prompt and regular in its movements as a dress parade.

MR. HENRY WATTERSON, in "The Louisville Courier Journal," compares Bryan with Henry Clay and prophesies the election of the democratic ticket.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, July 11.

Although no trouble is anticipated, orders have been issued to the marines stationed in Panama, to hold themselves in readiness in case any disturbances arise during the presidential elections which are to be held tomorrow. The marines are stationed at or near Colon Panama, and at Corozal, but they will not be distributed among the polling places. The withdrawal of Secretary of Foreign affairs Arias leaves Obaldia the only candidate in the field. The marines will probably be withdrawn from the Isthmus next week in case no trouble is likely to develop before the inaugurations which takes place on Oct. 1.

A number of navy officers and officials of the Navy Department left Washington today for Philadelphia to attend the launching of the newest battleship to be added to the fleet of vessels in the Atlantic, the South Carolina, which is building at the Cramps' yard. The new battleship is of a smaller Dreadnaught type, of 16,000 tons displacement, the same as the Connecticut, with an all-big-gun battery, and is a sister ship of the Michigan. She will have a speed of 18½ knots. The next battleships to be launched will be the Delaware and North Dakota, the largest ships building for the navy. The North Dakota is over 40 per cent. completed and the Delaware only a little less.

An American war vessel will probably be sent to the port of Amapala, on the Pacific coast of Honduras, to investigate reports that the Honduran revolutionists are pushing forward in that direction, with a view of capturing the city. This action was decided upon by the State Department today upon receipt of dispatches concerning the situation in Central America. No apprehension is felt that the revolution in Honduras is likely to involve any other republics.

Frank H. Hitchcock, the new chairman of the national republican committee, arrived in Washington today from Hot Springs, and left for New York at 10 a. m. probably en route to Utica to see Candidate Sherman.

After nearly four years of investigation, study, and conference with shippers and railroads, the interstate commerce commission today issued its report approving and recommending a uniform bill of lading. The new bill is more in the nature of a compromise between the shippers and carrier than a form issued by the commission itself. It favors the shippers more than the railroads.

Capt. Baldwin, of New York, has informed Gen. Allen, chief of the army signal corps, of the completion of the army dirigible balloon which he has made for the department. The balloon will be shipped to Washington next week and assembled and preparations will be made at once for the trial flights which are to take place at Fort Myer, Va.

A commission to investigate the claims of foreigners against the Morroccan government growing out of the disturbances of Casa Blanca last year, will meet in Tangiers on July 20. Hortsmann Philip, secretary of the American legation at Tangiers and M. C. Jacobs, legal counsellor of the American Embassy in Paris, have been designated to represent the United States in case claims are represented by any of its citizens. So far as the State Department is aware there is but one native born American in Morocco and he has been there for forty years.

Frank Sebring has been appointed chief clerk of the Police Court of the District of Columbia, vice J. Y. Potts, deceased.

STRATFORD TO BE PRESERVED.

The Lee memorial birthplace committee, appointed by the Virginia State Camp, P. O. S. of A., consisting of the state executive committee, F. W. Alexander, of Oak Grove, secretary, and an advisory committee, of which Claude A. Swanson, governor of Virginia, is chairman, have secured an option on Stratford Hall, the Westmoreland county home and birthplace of at least ten Lees who have become famous in the country's history.

The purpose of this committee is to purchase the homestead and twenty-five acres immediately around it for a memorial park, and restore the dwelling and preserve the property as a fitting memorial to Gen. R. E. Lee and others who have become famous.

Contributions will be received and a roll of each contributor will be publicly preserved. The Bank of Westmoreland at Colonial Beach has been selected as depositary.

When the property is paid for and restored, the committee will present it to the State of Virginia in trust for the people of the whole country to be perpetuated for all time, in memory of these great men who were born or lived there. Stratford is one of the most historic homesteads in Westmoreland county. It was founded by Richard Lee, son of Col. Richard Lee, founder of that family, in 1641, and became the property of Col. Thomas Lee, and was destroyed by fire. The present structure was built for Col. Thomas Lee with bricks brought from England. Col. Thomas Lee was appointed colonial governor of Virginia, but died just before the commission reached him.

Col. Thomas Lee had six sons, all famous, and among them was Richard Henry Lee and Francis Lightfoot Lee, signers of the Declaration of Independence, and Arthur Lee and William Lee, who served the colonies faithfully in England and Europe during the struggle for independence; also Harry Lee (Light Horse Harry), the father of Gen. Robert E. Lee, a famous general of the revolution, and the author of that famous epigram familiar to every child: "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen," and last, but not least, Gen. Robert E. Lee, whose history is familiar the world over.

Stratford is only a short distance from Colonial Beach.

BISHOP BRENT DECLINES.

Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim, president of the Washington Diocesan convention, which met in May to elect a bishop to succeed the late Bishop Satterlee, has received a letter from the Right Rev. Charles Henry Brent, bishop of the Philippines and twice elected bishop of Washington.

In the letter from Bishop Brent which was written the day after he had sent his cable declining the first election, the bishop sets forth his reasons for declining the election. The bishop states in his letter that he had made up his mind to decline the Washington bishopric sometime before he sent his decision, but he had delayed it by cable on the receipt of a cablegram from the secretary of the convention instructing him to "await letter." The bishop also declares that he was not hurried in his decision by a cablegram sent him by Rev. Dr. McKim.

BRANDED HER SON.

Asserting that her six-year-old son, Charles Goodsell, was the Messiah, his mother, Mrs. Grace Goodsell, of New York, branded him for life on the forehead and throat with a red hot iron. The child was rescued early yesterday from the religion-crazed woman and both were taken to the Bellevue Hospital, where the mother told the police and hospital authorities that she had branded the boy, whom she believed to be the long-looked for Messiah, so that he would be known, marked and distinct from others for life. The police charge that the woman also tried to kill her mother, with whom she lived, and herself. The little boy, though terribly burned, will recover. The two women were placed in the psychopathic ward for observation.

News of the Day.

Pope Pius says he will rebuild the old Lateran palace, the former residence of the papacy.

Fearing to tell the landlord that she did not have the rent she owed, Mrs. Henrietta Scudder, of New York, committed suicide.

More than half a hundred machinists employed by the Washington Terminal Company are on strike. They demand that the company pay them wages and a half for work Sundays, holidays and for more than 10 hours of work in any one day. The company declined, and the mechanics walked out.

The Taft notification day committee yesterday announced the official programme for July 28, the day the former Secretary of War is to be told of his nomination. One of the big features of the programme will be the releasing in Cincinnati of 50,000 balloons, all labeled "Taft" in large letters.

Seven men were killed and four injured in a head-on collision near Medicine Hat, Canada, yesterday, between a Spokane flyer engine and a Crows Nest passenger train. According to the evidence of the chief dispatcher at the inquest, the train order was faulty. Operator Ritchie, who issued the order, left the city immediately after the wreck.

A fire, which at one time threatened the entire block on Columbia avenue, between Stockholm and Carey streets, Baltimore, driving the occupants of the houses from their homes by its fierce heat, broke out shortly before 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the box factory of Jacob Wheatfield, 1225 to 1245 Columbia avenue. The building, which was a one-story frame structure, together with a portion of the contents, was destroyed, entailing a loss of about $25,000.

Mr. Kern, the nominee for vice president on the democratic ticket, received the news of the action of the convention in his apartments in the Albany Hotel, at Denver. He said: I am profoundly appreciative of the honor which has been conferred upon me, I regard the honor all the greater because I did not seek the place, nor did my delegation. The chances for democratic success are excellent. If the people of the other states feel as they do in Indiana, we shall win easily."

Dr. Frederick Cook, the Arctic explorer, after nearly a year's absence, has been heard from. According to a letter received in Brooklyn, dated in Westenholm Sound, in North Star Bay, Greenland, December 6, 1907, Dr. Cook was prepared to leave for his search for the North Pole in the latter part of January.

Virginia News.

Mrs Adeline T. McCarty died at her home, near Arcola, Loudoun county, on Thursday, aged 73. One daughter survives her.

With the nomination of Bryan as the democratic standard bearer, the democrats of Virginia are sanguine of success at the polls this fall.

The engagement is announced in Lynchburg of Mrs. Lizzie Hutter Christian to Dr. Carter Helm Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church, the wedding to take place there in October.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to David H. Pugh and Mary G. Lee, of Fairfax, and to Charles W. Airheart, of Mount Jackson, and Ethel F. Fadley, of Edinburg.

Mrs. Ida Titus, wife of Walter Titus, a merchant of Leesburg, of the firm of Titus & Smith, died on Thursday, aged 25 years. She was, prior to her marriage, a Miss Titus, of Lovettsville.

Beginning on Tuesday, July 14th, and continuing through Wednesday and Thursday, the Virginia State Dental Association will hold its thirty-ninth annual meeting at Murphy's Hotel in Richmond.

Samuel Goldsmith, of Norfolk, proprietor of a trunk establishment, left there two weeks for Europe for his health, and a cablegram was received yesterday announcing his death at Bath Nauheim, Germany.

IT SUITED BRYAN.

When he received the news of the nomination of John W. Kern for vice president Mr. Bryan said that his views on the nomination could best be expressed in the telegram which he sent to Mr. Kern. He is not only pleased with the nomination, but pleased that it was made with such unanimity. There were a number of persons whom he counted as available, and Kern was always included in this list. Mr. Kern and Mr. Bryan have been political and personal friends for many years. The following is the telegram:

Hon. John W. Kern, Denver, Col.:

Accept my warmest congratulations. Your nomination gratifies me very much. We have a spendid platform, and I am glad to have a running mate in such complete harmony with the platform. Stop off and see us on your way east

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

St Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 0.
Cleveland, 5; Boston, 2.
Detroit, 8; New York, 2.
Chicago, 2; Washington, 2.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
St. Louis	44	30	595	Phila'phia	36	35	507
Detroit	44	30	595	Boston	33	41	446
Cleveland	41	32	562	Wash'n	27	45	375
Chicago	41	33	554	New York	27	47	365

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Chicago, 3; Philadelphia, 2.
Pittsburg, 7; New York, 6.
Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 0.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	44	27	620	Phil'phia	30	36	455
Pittsburg	45	30	600	Boston	33	41	446
New York	43	31	581	Brookl'n	27	43	386
Cincinnati	39	36	520	St. Louis	28	45	384

SUN AND SNOW

Sometimes Help the Hair to Go.

In any changeable climate the hair is apt to become brittle and to break off stubby here and there. This makes a hair-dressing almost a necessity, especially to ladies. In using a hair dressing why not get the best one that combines with it the efficiency in killing the dandruff germ, the germ that eats the hair off at the roots, causing what is called falling hair and in time baldness. Newbro's "Herpicide" is that kind of a hair dressing. You have no idea how delightful your scalp will feel, and how stylish your hair will appear, after an application or two of Herpicide. It is certainly a wonderful innovation as a scalp antiseptic and hair dressing.

Sold by Ernest L. Allen & Co., agents. Two sizes 50c and $1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 64

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

It was 1:40 p. m. yesterday before Chairman Clayton, of the national democratic convention at Denver, Colorado, rapped for order. Vice presidential conferences were in progress over the hall at the time and it was a little while before the delegates gave their attention to the chair.

Mr. Clayton was too hoarse himself to be heard and spoke through a reading clerk to introduce Rev. John O. Corbett, of Westfield, New York, who delivered the invocation.

The priest's mention of the name of "that God-fearing man, W. J. Bryan," called out a ripple of applause, which was renewed when he had concluded.

Ollie James, of Kentucky, took the gavel.

A member of the Massachusetts delegation arose and began to protest against actions of the delegations last night in yielding the state's place on the presidential nominating roll to Utah.

He was ruled out of order, and Governor Vardaman, of Mississippi, was recognized to move that the convention proceed to the nomination of vice-presidential candidate. The motion was carried.

Senator Stone, of Missouri, asked for information regarding the rules for nominating speeches. He was informed there was no rule, and made a motion that all speeches be limited to 10 minutes each and that the seconding speech a be not more than two for each candidate nor longer than five minutes each.

Chairman James, in putting the motion, did not state that part of the motion holding the seconding speeches to two, and the motion as adopted was in accordance with the statement and limited the speeches in time, but left them unlimited in number.

Acting Chairman James directed the call of states to proceed.

"Alabama," came the call.

"Alabama yields to Indiana," replied the chairman of the delegation.

The followers of John W. Kern cheered lustily.

Thomas R. Marshall, democratic candidate for governor of Indiana, was sent to the platform to offer Mr. Kern's name as the head of the list.

Mr. Marshall paid tribute first to the platform of the convention, next to Mr. Bryan, then to Indiana and lastly to Mr. Kern himself. A convention which had begun well should end well. He asserted that Mr. Kern had all the qualifications that could be desired and would be a standard-bearer worthy of a united democracy.

Indiana's delegation cheered Mr. Kern for several minutes. They were joined by only a few delegates from Florida.

When Colorado was reached on the roll ex-Governor Charles S. Thomas, of that state, took the platform to place in nomination Charles A. Towne, of New York. The convention did not at first understand whose name Governor Thomas was to present, but as he proceeded, recounting the events in the career of the man he had come to name, it was understood that Towne was the man. The mention of Towne's name was received with applause, but only one New York delegate showed signs of approval by waving his hat.

Connecticut was next to place its candidate in nomination, sending J. J. Walsh to the platform to name Archibald McNeill, of Bridgeport

"Give us McNeill," he concluded, "and we will give you Connecticut next November."

Delaware yielded to Georgia her place on the roll-call, and L. I. Hill, from the latter state, in a few words placed Clark Howell, of Atlanta, in nomination.

Mr. Hill made a happy little speech that had in the minds of the delegates an added virtue in that it was short. The mention of Mr. Howell's name was greeted with much applause.

Florida, next on the list, yielded to Missouri, and Gov. Joseph W. Folk took the platform amid cheering from all sections of the hall. His greeting was the most enthusiastic extended to any of the speakers who had preceded him. It was some little time after his introduction before he could proceed. When he spoke it was to second the nominations of Mr. Kern.

"Idaho seconds the nomination of Charles A. Towne," shouted a delegate from that state when its name was reached on the roll.

Mr. James, after Idaho had been heard, yielded the gavel to James Hamilton Lewis, of Chicago, who recognized Fred Kern, of Illinois, as his first official act.

Mr. Kern, placed the name of John Mitchell before the convention, though he did not offer him as a candidate. A heavy cheer followed the mention of Mr. Mitchell's name.

Mr. Kern said that Mr. Mitchell had said that he preferred that his name be not presented as a candidate, and he, therefore, on behalf of Illinois, seconded the nomination of Kern, of Indiana.

When Kansas was reached the chairman of the delegation announced that Kansas had hoped to vote for John Mitchell, but would be satisfied with any one of the candidates already in nomination.

Ollie James, of Kentucky, seconded Mr. Kern as "one of the knightliest democrats in the world."

There were no further responses from the states until Maryland was reached, when Mr. Lee, of that delegation, arose and seconded Mr. Towne, of New York.

Leader Murphy, of Tammany, arose amid cheers, but there was a wave of disappointment when he announced:

"Mr. Chairman, the State of New York presents no candidate."

When Texas was called the Gray banner still was waving over the delegation, despite the constant and earnest efforts of Judge Gray's managers to have it lowered. There was a thrill of anticipation, therefore, when the chairman of the delegation asked that former Congressman Thomas P. Bell be recognized. He spoke of the desire that Texas had entertained to nominate Judge Gray, but said the delegation had heeded the earnest appeals of his representatives, and, while disclaiming any desire to climb up on the band wagon, seconded the nomination of Mr. Kern.

Chairman Clayton, who now resumed the chair, recognized L. Irving Handy, of Delaware, who explained that the disinclination of Judge Gray to accept second place did not grow out of any feeling of resentment because another man had been nominated for president. Mr. Handy then read the following telegram:

"Do not under any circumstances allow my name to be presented for vice-presidential nomination, as I would under no circumstances accept the same if nominated."

When Mr. Handley had concluded Chairman Clayton, who had resumed the gavel, created a surprise by announcing the recognition of Mr. Towne.

Former Governor J Hoge Tyler was named as Virginia's member of the committee to notify Mr. Bryan of his nomination and E. E. Ford is named for Virginia to notify Mr. Kern of his nomination.

"It has become abundantly apparent what is the desire of this convention as to its vice presidential nominee," said Mr. Towne, after a wave of greeting applause had subsided, "and I desire, while earnestly thanking the friends who have complimented me by placing my name before you, to release you from its further consideration and leave you free to vote for that splendid old democratic war horse form Indiana—John W. Kern"

Mr. Towne concluded by pledging his loyal support to Bryan and Kern.

Mr. Howell, of Georgia, directed the withdrawal of his name, and a speech to this effect was made by Hill, of that state, who said that Georgia, in declining to push the nomination of Mr. Howell, also seconded the nomination of Kern.

Utah seconded Mr. Kern from the floor. Vermont was passed and then J. Hoge Tyler came forward to speak for Virginia. Mr. Tyler was about to nominate J. G. Conrad, of Montana, when the latter asked that his name be not used. He closed by seconding Mr. Kern.

Every remaining state and territory declared for Kern, including Montana and New Jersey, which had been passed at their request.

Nebraska, which had been passed, had been forgotten by the clerk, asked that it be called, and then seconded Kern.

"Gentlemen of the convention," said Mr. James, of Kentucky, who was again in the chair, "you have heard the motion. Are you ready for the question?"

Another motion that was adopted with a cheer appointed Mr. Clayton, chairman of the committee appointed to notify Mr. Bryan of his nomination, and Mr. Bell, chairman of the committee, selected to notify Mr. Kern.

Ollie James made the motion to adjourn sine die at 4:23 o'clock, (6:23 eastern time) and it was adopted. The crowd made a rush for the door and the convention was ended.

JOHN W. KERN.

John W. Kern, the democratic nominee for the vice presidency, was born December 20, 1854, at the village of Alto, Howard county, Ind. His father, Dr. Joseph W. Kern, was a Virginian by birth, who removed to Shelby county, Ind., and lived there until he moved into the new northern country.

John Kern's mother was Nancy Diggett, and she and Dr. Kern were married in Warren county, O. The family went to Iowa but moved back to Ohio in 1864. In the 60's while still in Iowa, Mrs. Kern died. Two children were left, John and his sister, who is now Mrs. Isaac Engel, of Danville, Va. John was educated in the district schools and he continued his education by attending the Indiana Normal School of Kokomo, Ind., riding horseback 10 miles each way every day. Later he taught school near Alto. He earned money to enter Ann Arbor, graduating from the law department of Michigan University in 1869. He immediately began practicing in Kokoma, Indiana.

He was "drafted" when he was 21 years old to make the race for the legislature in the republican county of Howard, but was defeated. He was chosen city attorney of Kokomo for six terms over republican aspirants. In 1884 he was elected reporter of the Supreme Court. Since then Indianapolis has been his home, where he has practiced law. He has worked in every campaign, served the county in the legislature and was the leader of his party in the state Senate. He was city attorney under the last two administrations of Mayor Thomas Taggart, from October, 1897, to October, 1901. In 1900 he was nominated for governor but was defeated. Before the St. Louis convention of four years ago Mr. Kern's name had been prominently mentioned among the vice presidential possibilities.

Mr. Kern has been president of the Commercial Club, and has always been conspicuous in all state and civic movements. Mrs. Kern is prominent in all of the social and literary affairs of the city. Miss Julia Kern, their daughter, is well known socially. There are two other children—John W. Kern, jr., aged nine, and William H. Kern, who is now five years old.

RUSSIAN MINE HORROR.

A dispatch from Yusovo, Russia, says an inquest into the fatal coal mine explosion of last week has revealed a terrible picture of the archaic methods of mining in vogue in Russia and the utter absence of inspection.

It has been a matter of common knowledge for years past that the Rikovsky mine was dangerous. The workmen named it "the inferno" because of the prevalence of stifling gas in the workings, and they would only consent to go down at double wages.

The explosion itself was not of great force, and a majority of the 300 men who lost their lives were burned to death or suffocated by after-damp. It would have been possible to save all but about a dozen of the men below if prompt measures had been taken, as fully an hour elapsed after the explosion before the flames broke out.

During this hour the rescuing parties waited with folded hands for information as to how and where they were to descend. Immediately after the explosion the mine engineer recklessly descended the main shaft without a mask. He was overcome by the damp and brought to the surface. He had to be revived, after which he drew a rough sketch of the interior of the mine, and it was on this that the rescuing parties went ahead. No other plans of the workings were to be had.

It was learned also that vital parts of the fire engines had been stolen, and for the first day water had to be passed into the shaft in buckets.

JOHNSON PROMISES SUPPORT.

Governor Johnson will support William J. Bryan, and said he would do all in his power to bring about the election of Mr. Bryan. A telegram congratulating Mr. Bryan and tendering him Governor Johnson's support was sent to Lincoln yesterday.

"Please accept my heartiest congratulations on your nomination and splendid victory which it implies. You will have no more earnest supporter than I, and I hope to be permitted to contribute to your success and to that of the party.

"JOHN A. JOHNSON."

Today's Telegraphic News

Echoes of the Convention.

Denver, July 11.—William Jennings Bryan will have the national democratic committee on his hands in Fairview next Tuesday. Thomas T. Taggart, of Indiana, chairman of the old committee, has arranged for a special car to leave Denver Monday night for Lincoln, Neb. It is probable John W. Kern, candidate for vice president, will accompany the committee to Lincoln. In a short conference of the new committee held late yesterday, the selection of a new chairman was not taken up. It is generally conceded Bryan should have a hand in naming the man to manage the coming campaign, so the matter was left open until he could be consulted.

J. H. Atwood, of Kansas; Mayor James Dahlman, of Omaha; T. E. Ryan, of Wisconsin; Taggart, of Indiana, and Urey Woodson, of Kentucky, the present secretary, all have been advanced as candidates for the place. Of these it is believed Dahlman is Bryan's choice.

It was the first intention of the committee to send a sub-committee to Lincoln to wait on Bryan, but objection was raised to the delay this would involve, and on the suggestion of former Governor Alva A. Adams, of Colorado, it finally was decided to journey en masse to Lincoln and transact all business in company with Bryan and the vice presidential candidate.

Indianapolis, July 11.—Preparations were begun here today to give John W. Kern, the democratic vice presidential nominee, a rousing reception when he returns home next week.

Grover Cleveland's Estate.

Trenton, N. J., July 11.—Friends of former President Grover Cleveland believe that the inventory of his estate soon be filed by the executor of his will will show his estate to be worth a million dollars. Although no hint of what the inventory may contain was given when the will was probated yesterday, the provisions of the document itself have led to the conclusion that the estate is of great value. Most of Cleveland's property is left unreservedly to his wife, but in addition there are bequests of $51,000, $11,000 of which is to persons other than his wife and children. Had his property not been valuable, it is argued, this sum would have been left to his own family. To each of his four children $10,000 is bequeathed, the remainder of the estate being given to his wife. A request for a moderately expensive monument is contained in the will.

The will itself is a holographic document which was prepared by Mr. Cleveland in 1906, but does not disclose the testator's wealth.

Affairs in Persia.

Teheran, July 11.—The shah today started reinforcements to Tabriz to aid the Cossacks in holding in check the starving populace of that city. This action was taken on the advice of Russian consul Pohitonoff, who sent word to the shah that the guard of soldiers now in the city was in danger of being overwhelmed by another uprising. "There is danger of the city being sacked if the people once get the upper hand," read the warning from Pohitonoff.

Court minister Ali Khan and Foreign Minister Ala-es-Sultaneh made further apology to the British legation today for the recent espionage exercised over the legation by the Cossacks. The apology was coldly received.

Automobile Struck by a Train.

Eastport, N. Y., July 11.—W. R. Hutchings, of No. 284 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, and his wife are dead, and his eight-year-old daughter Lillian is dying here today after a collision in which their automobile was wrecked by the Hampton special of the Long Island Railroad. Mrs. Hutchings was instantly killed. Her husband was hurled 160 feet and fatally mangled, and the girl's skull was fractured. Frederick Clough, the chauffeur, jumped and escaped. Clough admits that he approached the railroad crossing at a high rate of speed. Just as the car neared the tracks a continuous gong gave warning of the approaching train. Clough lost his head and threw on the emergency brake. The automobile slowed on the track and was smashed to splinters.

Jeffries Announces Retirement.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 11.—James J. Jeffries today announced that he is done with the ring for all and for good, and that he will never again figure within the squared circle, either as a principal, referee, or promoter. His decision is the result of the criticism heaped upon him for his draw decision in the recent McFarland-Welsh fight before his club on July 4, over which he officiated as referee. He declares that he is disgusted with the fight game and the fickleness of the fighting fans. He says he rendered his decision according to his best judgment.

Bishop Potter's Condition Critical.

Cooperstown, N. J., July 11.—Bishop Potter is in a critical condition today. His strength is ebbing and at times he is so weak that he does not recognize those about him. His physicians were in constant attendance during the night. His son, Alonzo Potter, who went to New York a few days ago, has been summoned and is expected here today. Bishop Potter's heart trouble and the hardening of his arteries have not yielded to the treatment administered. His sudden collapse is feared.

Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills that are easy to take. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

New York Stock Market.

New York, July 11.—The stock market opened strong. At the end of ten minutes advances of ¼ to ½ above the opening figures had occurred.

The close of the market was marked by heaviness and lower prices in the late trading.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him $100.00.

"In 1902 I had a very severe attack of diarrhoea," says R. N. Farrar of Cat Island, La. "For several weeks I was unable to do anything. On March, 18, 1907, I had a similar attack, and took Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which gave me prompt relief. I consider it one of the best medicines of its kind in the world, and had I used it in 1902 believe it would have saved me a hundred dollar doctor's bill." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

Contributions for Taft.

Hot Springs, Va., July 11.—Bringing a message of peace from Vorys and other Ohioans who fought Hitchcock, Elmer Dover, secretary of the republican national committee, arrived here today and at breakfast with Candidate Taft later he went into the political situation at length. Taft declared himself much pleased that Vorys has buried the hatchet. "I am very fond of Vorys," he said, "and am glad that he finally consented to act as national manager for Ohio." After his talk with Taft, Dover held a conference with Treasurer Sheldon and discussed matters further with the candidate.

Since Sheldon arrived yesterday he has received twelve notable campaign contributions, all by wire, each of the donors being anxious to be first in financing Taft's fight for a place in the White House. He admitted that Wall street was well represented in the contributions, but declined to give the names of the donors. He will leave tonight to start a systematic campaign of money gathering in New York, Monday. Dover will follow him to take up headquarters in the metropolis.

Death of Bishop Curtis.

Baltimore, July 11.—Bishop Alfred A. Curtis, vicar general of the Catholic archdiocese of Baltimore, died here at 8:45 this morning, as a result of cancer of the stomach.

Bishop Curtis had been in poor health for some time, and his death was not entirely unexpected. When it was seen that the useful life of the venerable prelate was slowly ebbing, Cardinal Gibbons last night administered the last sacraments of the church. Bishop Curtis relapsed into a sinking spell from which he failed to rally, and the end came at the St. Agnes sanitarium this morning. Bishop Curtis was 73 years old and one of the most widely-known Catholic churchmen in the United States.

Alleged Counterfeiters.

Danville, Ill., July 11.—Charles E. Brown 35 years old, a lawyer of this city, is believed by government officials to be the head of one of the most gigantic counterfeiting conspiracies ever unearthed by the federal service officers. He is being held in the county jail today following his arrest in his home yesterday by secret service agents. A complete outfit of counterfeiters' dies and matrices was found in the basement of Brown's home. It is said to be one of the most elaborate that ever fell into the hands of the federal officers. No counterfeit coins were found, however.

Attempted Suicide of a Tailor.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 11.—Frank Frei, aged 45 years, a tailor, turned madman from worry over the loss of a few dollars in a poker game, poured gasoline over his naked body in his rooms today and tried to kill himself by touching a match to the liquid. When firemen arrived Frei barricaded himself behind the burning tables and chairs and stood off the men with heavy tailor's sheers. Frei was finally knocked out by a fireman with an ax-handle. He was taken to a hospital where it is said he will die from burns and self-inflicted wound from the sheers.

Launching of the South Carolina.

Philadelphia, July 11.—Before one of the largest crowds of distinguished persons that ever gathered at Cramps' shipyard the South Carolina, the newest battleship of the U. S. navy was launched at 12:05 today. Miss Frederica Calvert Ansel, daughter of Gov. Ansel, of South Carolina, broke the bottle of champagne on the ship's bow as she left the ways. The launching was not marred by accident. The South Carolina is the second of the "Dreadnaughts" and is termed the "all-big-gun battleship." A few weeks ago her sister ship Michigan was launched at Camden.

Knockout Blow.

New York, July 11.—Supreme Court Justice Kelly, Kings county, today delivered what is considered the death blow to the McCarren regime in local and state politics. He rendered a decision denying the senator's motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus compelling the board of elections to appoint the primary election inspectors designated by McCarren, and ordered the board to certify the appointees of the Williams-Delany faction which has been recognized as regular by the state convention.

Killed in Automobile Accident.

Utica, N. Y., July 11.—An automobile driven by Chas. B. Gorton, of this city, tipped over in Oonkling Park about midnight, and Miss Virginia Carter, the only other occupant of the car was killed. The car was being driven up a short curving hill with a bank on one side and a gully on the other when it began to back. Mr. Gorton could not regain control of the machine and it plunged into the gully, pinioning Miss Carter underneath and killing her instantly. Gorton was thrown clear of the car and escaped with slight injury.

America Still Ahead.

London, July 11.—America leads in the international shoot at Bisley, though England is pushing her hard. The Americans won the 800-yard shoot today which brought their total to 1,727. The English team was second and its total is now 1,714. In the individual contests at 300 yards, Helgerud, a Norwegian, won the gold medal, with Lieutenant Semon, America, second. The English won the principal prizes in the events at 50 and 100 yards.

Baby Found in Park.

New York, July 11.—A baby girl about three months old, richly dressed, was found early today in Central Park near the entrance at 106th street and Central Park West. She lay on a fine white blanket, and the long white dress, handworked, a silk cap and underclothing lead the police to believe she comes from a wealthy family.

The Revolution in Honduras.

Tegucigalpa, Honduras, July 21.—President Davila, alarmed over the success of the revolutionary movement against him, is today considering with the government officials the advisability of appealing to the United States and Mexico for their diplomatic aid in restoring order.

Commercial Law.

The valuable and instructive series of articles on commercial law, published for some months in the Philadelphia Sunday Record, and which recently terminated, will be published in book form by the author. Any person desiring this valuable educator should communicate with Utley E. Crane, the Commonwealth Building, Philadelphia.

Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 11, 1908

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:43 and set at 7.25. High water at 6 07 a. m. and 6 45 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight and Sunday; winds shifting to fresh southwesterly.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. J. Morton rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. 6:45 and p. m., by the rector.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev P. P. Phillips.

GRACE CHURCH—Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services and sermon at 11 a. m. and 8 p m by the rector.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. J. May.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH—First mass at 7 a. m. Mass and sermon at 10.00 a. m. Vesper. and benediction 5 p. m.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. J. R. Sevier.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. George W. McCullough and 8 p. m. by Rev. Thomas Watkins.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.—Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. and preaching at 3:30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Hobbs.

TRINITY METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and twilight services 7 to 8 p. m. by Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m.

BETHANY M. P. CHURCH—south Fairfax street—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. Wm. M. Poisal.

METH. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH—Rev. Charles D. Bulla, pastor.—9:30 a. m. Sunday school, 11:00 a. m. and 8 p.m. preaching by the pastor.

METH. PROT. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. G. I. Humphreys. Class meeting at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:30 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Lee street near Wilkes—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. E. M. Sandy.

VILLAGE CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Gibbon street, near Alfred.—Sunday school at 2:45 p.m.

DEL RAY CHAPEL M.E. CHURCH SOUTH—Sunday school at 2. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALMS HOUSE—Services at 3:00 p. m.

MISSION—Corner Fairfax and Franklin street. Services at 8:00 p. m.

ROBERTS CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored)—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MEADE CHAPEL—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (colored)—north Alfred street—Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor—Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Praise and prayer meeting 6:30 p. m.

EXAGGERATED REPORT.

It is now asserted by officers at Fort Washington that the accounts published of disorderly conduct on the part of soldiers at River View last Tuesday night were greatly exaggerated. It is alleged that Captain Macon's arm was broken by an accident Tuesday morning, and not by a soldier, as had been reported. According to a statement of the officers, three soldiers, who had been drinking, became involved in a fight among themselves. They did not resist arrest and are now confined in the guardhouse at Fort Washington awaiting trial. The managers of River View also assert that the story of the trouble was greatly exaggerated.

COMPLAINT AGAINST RAILROADS.

Complaint is again made that certain trains of the Chesapeake and Ohio, Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway do not stop at Alexandria and that tickets for this city cannot be purchased in Washington. The Alexandria Chamber of Commerce will take up the matter with the Interstate Commerce Commission at an early day. This has been a long-standing complaint against the Chesapeake and Ohio Company, extending back nearly a score of years, or almost since trains of that company first began to pass through Alexandria for Washington.

THE MARKET.

There was but little change in conditions in market this morning from those prevailing last Saturday. The supply was ample and prices showed but little variation. Home-grown tomatoes were more plentiful, and they were selling at 15 cents per quarter of a peck. There was an abundant supply of fine plums which were selling at 5 cents per quart. Many apples were on the benches. They were mostly small, however. Green corn brought 20 cents per dozen. There was a large supply of blackberries and huckleberries.

NAVAL CADETS.

Congressman C. C. Carlin yesterday designated for examination for midshipman at the Naval Academy at Annapolis, David McComas French, jr., of Alexandria, and alternates in the order named: Alexander Turner, The Plains, Fauquier county; Wallace Johnson Lamon, Winston, Culpeper county, and Ass Eugene Bradshaw, Herndon, Fairfax county. He has also designated for examination for second lieutenant in the U. S. Marine Corps, Marcus B. Richardson, Fairfax.

RESIGNED.

Mr. Arthur J. Darrah has resigned his position as manager of the Alexandria Electric Co. to take effect next week, when an electrician from Philadelphia will, it is understood, succeed him. Mr. Darrah leaves Alexandria to accept a better position elsewhere. He came here in October, 1906, when the Alexandria Electric Company was organized and has been its manager ever since. During this time he has made many friends here all of whom will regret his leaving.

TO REMOVE GRASS.

The police, by order of Mayor Paff, are now engaged in notifying the occupants of houses that grass in front of their premises and in gutters must be removed, according to law. Grass and weeds abound in many places in the city, and it is hoped the authorities will vie with the residents in eliminating the same.

ACCUSED DISMISSED.

Elizabeth McDowell, colored, was arrested last night by Officers Young and Arrington on a charge of selling liquor without a license. A colored man named Gaskins was the informant. He failed to appear in the Police Court this morning, and the accused was dismissed.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Tans are the real thing for spring wear. We handle the swellest line in town. Our motto, high grade, low prices. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

THE PRESBYTERIAN EXCURSION

The excursion of the Presbyterians of Alexandria, Washington and the surrounding country to River View yesterday was a success in every particular. The weather was ideal and the large numbers who availed themselves of the opportunity to enjoy a ride upon the river and the attractions at the resort had a delightful experience. The closing feature which was greatly enjoyed, was the return trip by moonlight. More than 1,000 members of the Southern Presbyterian Churches of the Chesapeake Presbytery, which consists of the Central and Second Presbyterian Churches of the District of Columbia, the Second Presbyterian Church of this city, and all the Presbyterian Churches of that section of Maryland and Virginia bordering on or near the Potomac river and the Chesapeake Bay, composed the excursion party. The excursion was in charge of Rev. H. W. Pratt, of the Second Presbyterian Church, and Rev. James H. Taylor, of the Central Presbyterian Church, both of Washington, and Rev. J. R. Sevier, of the Second Presbyterian Church, of Alexandria. Rev. T. W. Hoover, of Culpeper, was a guest of the Washington pastors.

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

The members of the Virginia Press Association concluded a two days' visit to Washington with attendance at a reception given in their honor last night by the Washington Chamber of Commerce. President R. N. Harper, of the Chamber, welcomed the visitors in a graceful speech. Mr. H. B. Macfarland, of the board of district commissioners, also made an address. Mr. Allen O. Jones, representing the Newport News Times-Herald, responded on behalf of the newspaper men. Mr. Frank Lyon, of Alexandria county, also spoke and called attention to the exceptionally fine advantage which Alexandria county offered to the homeseekers and the manufacturers. Much of yesterday was spent at Mount Vernon and Arlington. A portion of the party left last night on the steamer Maury.

ATTRACTIVE LAWN PARTY.

Miss Edna Brill was hostess last evening at a beautifully arranged porch and lawn party given in honor of her guest, Miss Kathryn Brill, of Alexandria. The decorations and all the appointments were carried out in pink and white, while the lawn was brilliantly illuminated with Japanese lanterns and electric lights. Various games, music and dancing helped to make the evening a most enjoyable one until about 11 o'clock when dainty refreshments were served. About 35 guests were present. Miss Brill proved herself a very charming hostess in looking after the entertainment of her guests.—[Connellsville, (Pa.), Exponent.

SENT TO THE REFORM SCHOOL.

Theodore and Ernest Lloyd, two colored boys, who were arrested by Officers Bell and Sampson charged with knocking pears from a tree in the yard of a residence in the northwestern section of the city and abusing and assaulting Gabriel Carter, colored, were brought before the Police Court this morning. The evidence was to the effect that their mother is dead, that they are incorrigible and that their stepfather has no control over them. Justice Caton ordered that they be sent to the reform school.

ALEXANDRIA AMUSEMENT CO.

It makes one feel real good to know that no matter how warm the nights are there is a pleasant place in this city to spend an evening, witnessing an amusing entertainment and at the same time be fanned by the electric fans. Tonight "The Painter's Revenge," a dream brimful of comedy, will be presented, as will also a funny comedy known as "A Poor Coat." The "Indian's Revenge," which was highly enjoyed last night, will be repeated tonight.

WILL PROBATED.

The will of the late Edward Quinn was probated today in vacation before the clerk of the Circuit Court for the city. The deceased left $100 each to the Alexandria Hospital, Little Sisters of the Poor, of Washington, and the colored Catholic parochial school, of Alexandria. The residue of his estate he divided equally among his children. His sons, E. J. and W. H. Quinn, are named as executors to give bond in the sum of $20,000.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Elizabeth McDowell, colored, charged with selling liquor without a license, was dismissed.

Theodore and Ernest Lloyd, two colored boys, charged with assault on Gabriel Carter, colored, and with injuring property, were sent to the reform school.

RATIFICATION MEETING.

As was stated in the Gazette, a Bryan and Kern ratification meeting will be held by the democrats of the First ward this evening on Windmill Hill. A small cannon was borrowed from the estate of the late Frank Hume yesterday and a salute will be fired. There will also be a display of fireworks. Messrs. Oscar Phillips, Thomas L. Rishell, Frank Entwisle and W. B. Dobie compose the committee of arrangements.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the First Baptist Church tomorrow Rev. George W. McCullough will supply at the morning service. At the evening service Rev. Thomas Watkins, of South Wales, England, the "boy preacher," will preach. Mr. Watkins, although but seventeen years of age, possesses remarkable ability. He has supplied several of the Washington churches recently and in which he has preached to large congregations.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

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PERSONAL.

Councilmen Charles B. Marshall and Frank C. Spinks with their wives left this afternoon on the steamer Northumberland for a trip to Baltimore. They will stop at the regular landings on the Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay and return by the same route about Wednesday of next week.

Miss Eva Louise Sperry, of 502½ north 7th street, Richmond, is visiting Mrs. Edw. C. Haynes at her home in Braddock Heights.

Miss Sophie Tacket is visiting friends near Williamsport, Md.

Mrs. John J. Jamieson, of Richmond, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Jamieson, on south Columbus street.

Messrs. Hubert Mills, Allan Nalle and Charles Nowland left this evening on their "Fast Flyer" for a week's cruise down the Potomac.

Mr. E. E. Downham, representative of Acca Temple, has gone to St. Paul, Minn., to attend the thirty-fourth annual session of the Imperial Council, A. A. O. M. S. of North America, which will meet in that city Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Messrs E. J. Fleming and A. D. Montier have gone to New York on a short visit.

The marriage is announced of Mr. Winfield Scott Larner, formerly of Washington and who is well known in this city, and Miss Blanche Siebel Burns. The ceremony was performed on Tuesday evening at Bluemont.

Mr. Albert Magalis, pressman at the Gazette office, has gone to Roanoke on a trip for his health.

Mr. John Hepburn, who has been quite sick, is able to be out again.

Mr. A. G. Faulkner has brought his wife and three little daughters from their former home in South Carolina to reside at 226 north St. Asaph street.

Mr. Harry Glover has been quite ill at his home on south Washington street.

Miss Dorsey Ashton has gone to Charlottesville to visit friends.

Miss Marion Negley is spending two weeks at her uncle's bungalow on the Potomac, some miles below this city.

Mrs. Richard Acton, Master Richard Acton and Miss Virginia Wheat have gone to spend the summer among the mountains of Fauquier county.

Rev. J. R. Sevier has been invited to preach next Thursday evening at the union evangelistic services being held in a tent at Laurel, Md.

Miss Larkin, of Alexandria, is the guest of the Misses Gilkeson. Miss Mary Dent, of Alexandria, is the guest of Miss Frankie Taunt. Messrs. H. K. Field and Robert W. Arnold, of Alexandria, members of the state council of Royal Arcanum, were in Culpeper last Monday and met with the local lodge here that night.—[Culpeper Exponent.

Miss Alice Graham, of Alexandria, is visiting Mrs. G. W. Laycock. Mrs. R. J. N. Reid spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Willis, in Alexandria county. She was accompanied home by Master Theodore, who had been spending some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Willis.—[Hamilton Enterprise.

Mrs. Douglas, of Alexandria, is visiting the home of Mrs. John R. Turner. Mr. Henry K. Field, of Alexandria, was in Warrenton Wednesday.—[Warrenton Virginian.

IN HONOR OF MISS RUTH ASHTON.

Mrs. E. M. Young, jr., gave a progressive euchre party of five tables at her pretty home on Prince Edward street Wednesday morning in honor of her guest, Miss Ruth Ashton, of Alexandria. Mrs. May Embrey Rowlett won the first prize and Miss Susie M. Bradley the booby. Delicious refreshments were served after the game. The guests were Mesdames A. Randolph Howard, J. Stansbury Wallace, C. R. Howard, M. M. Lewis, T. S. Shepherd, L. R. Wilcox, Wm. Bernard, A. W. Embrey W. J. Chewning, J. Garnett King, May Embrey Rowlett, Misses Ruth Ashton, Maud Embrey, Mary Moncure, Edith and Beryl Barber, Susie M. Bradley, Susie M. Yates, Loulie Braxton, Elizabeth Hurkamp and Jennie Maitland.—[Fredericksburg Lance.

VENERABLE TERRAPIN.

Mr William Roxby found a box terrapin west of Hume Springs, Alexandria county, yesterday, while picking blackberries. On the shell of the terrapin was the following: "W. D. Carl, 103, R. E., 1865, June." This inscription was probably put on the shell of the terrapin by a soldier at the close of the civil war.

CHARTER.

A charter was granted yesterday by the State corporation commission to the Hervey Company, incorporated, of Winston, Washington and Alexandria, Joel Hillman, president; Sarah L. Hillman, vice-president, and Anthony Tulley, secretary and treasurer, all of Washington, D. C.; capital stock $170,000 to $225,000, to run a restaurant.

Execution of Revolutionists.

Del Rio, Texas, July 11.—Four Mexican revolutionists, captured in the foothills near Las Vacas yesterday, have been executed by Mexican troops, according to advices here today. A drumhead court-martial found the men guilty and they were shot. A similar fate is believed to be in store for twenty more revolutionists now under arrest at Casas Grandes. They will either be formally executed or a chance given them to escape, when they will be shot by soldiers in ambush concealed for the purpose. This is in accordance with the announced policy of the troops to exterminate all insurrectionists.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

VIRGINIANS SEE THE KING.

Writing from London to the Times-Dispatch, a Richmond minister says:

"Among the Virginians who were present at the garden party given by the Prince and Princess of Wales at Marlborough House on Thursday, June 25th, were the Rt. Rev. Robert A. Gibson, D. D., Joseph Bryan, LL. D., and Mrs. Bryan, the Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Kinsolving, Mr. P. B. Mayo and the Rev. Thomas C. Darst, of Richmond, the Venerable F. F. Neve, of Albemarle, Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, of Williamsburg, Miss Sallie Stuart, of Alexandria, and others. The king and queen were present, and the Archbishop of Canterbury presented a few of the 2,000 guests to their majesties. Among those presented were the Rev. W. A. Goodwin, of Bruton Church, Williamsburg, and Mr. Joseph Wilmer, of Orange. When the king was informed that Mr. Goodwin was the rector of the church to which he presented the Bible last October he chatted with him for several minutes, and expressed the pleasure it gave him to present the gift to Virginia's historic church.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach Trouble.

After doctoring for about twelve years for a bad stomach trouble, and spending nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctors' fees, I purchased my wife one box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than all of the medicine I bought before.—SAMUEL BOYER, Folsom, Iowa. This medicine is for sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson. Samples free.

THE "MERCANTILE," corner Prince and Fairfax, is giving away to its members tickets of admission to the grounds at Luna Park for "Maccabee Day," Saturday, July 11.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

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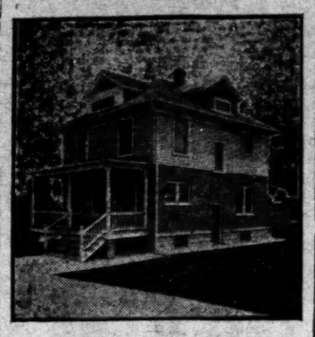

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

James Henry, son of the late Alex. Henry, died last night. The deceased was 65 years old.

Many carloads of peaches from Georgia are now passing over railroads for northern, eastern and western markets.

Mr. George B. Sides, employed as an engineer by the Mutual Ice Company, was struck on the ankle by a heavy block of ice on Thursday night and painfully injured. He was attended by Dr. Arthur Snowden.

A pile of earth and rubbish has recently been deposited in front of the colored Odd Fellows' Hall, on south Columbus street. No light has been on the pyramid at night. The pile, it is said, was reared by city employees.

The schooner Pendleton, from the Kennebec, with ice for the Mutual Ice Company, has arrived. The schooner William Yerkes, with a cargo of ice for the American Ice Company, Washington, passed up the river yesterday afternoon.

The horse attached to a wagon belonging to Mr. James Javins, of Fairfax county, dropped dead at an early hour this morning at Franconia. Mr. Javins was on his way to this city at the time.

Bids were opened in Washington yesterday for furnishing the Congressional Library with 3,900 tons of furnace coal. The contract was awarded to James E. Rose, formerly of this city.

Carrie Roy, colored, wife of Webb Roy, died yesterday at her home, No. 432 north Payne street. The deceased was 40 years old.

The temperature, which has been cool for the past two days, arose again today and at noon the mercury registered 85 degrees.

Crab Salad, Soft and Deviled Crabs, Chicken, Steaks and Chops at Opera House Cafe.

J. M. Pettit, jr., has at his store, 717 King street, fifteen crates of the largest and finest peaches seen here in several years. The price is the same as for ordinary ones. Also the famous Norfolk Sweet Air Cantaloupes; every one guaranteed sweet. Fancy Tomatoes 15c per half peck basket. jy10 3t

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar5 tf

OIL FIELD ABLAZE.

The old field fire that has been burning near Ozuluama, state of Vera Cruz, Mexico, during the last five days, is the greatest and most spectacular in the history of that industry. The blaze covers an area one mile square, and it mounts to heights of 1,000 to 1,500 feet. The officers and crews of vessels arriving at Tampico report that they saw the light of the fire when 200 miles at sea.

People who reached Tampico yesterday from the scene of the fire say that the earth's crust covering the entire area where the fire is burning was uplifted by a terrific explosion of gas. The surface of the earth and rocks have now entirely disappeared. The whole territory of one square mile, upon which many flowing oil wells were located, is now a seething caldron of burning oil. It is estimated that millions of barrels of oil have already been destroyed, and there is no hope of the fire subsiding until all of the oil in the pool is destroyed.

The burning oil has spread into the San Geroninono river and is flowing in a broad stream into Lake Tamiahua. It has spread to the forests along the shore and much destruction of property is threatened from this source. Lake Tamiahua has an outlet both to Tampico and Tuxpam, and fears are entertained that the scourge of fire may reach these places.

The whole country within a radius of 100 miles is in danger from the fire. The vast clouds of smoke from the burning oil hangs close to the earth like a pall and the natives for many miles around are in a state of terror. Many of them believe that it is the beginning of the end of the world. The roar of the flames can be heard for 25 miles. All boat traffic upon the river has been suspended.

The fire originated at one of the flowing wells in the field. It seemed to work its way down until it reached the pool of oil about 1,000 feet below the surface. It was then that the terrific explosion occurred. The uplift of the earth gave the fire room to spread to all parts of the oil field.

$2.50, $3, and $3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cuts mostly small sizes, offered for a few day only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

LOST.—Either on the 7.30 electric car from Alexandria, July 9, or at Luna Park, a GOLD LINK BRACELET set with three diamonds. Liberal reward will be paid for its return to Mrs. JAMES W. BALES, 1217 King street. jy10 3t

CEYLON TEAS.—Extra fine Ceylon Tea just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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STRAY DOGS.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

That little article in your paper yesterday from "A stranger within our gates," was a little uncalled for. Our "town" (and I trust I am speaking for the majority) will always be noted for its hospitality. As far as the dog question is concerned we are in no worse circumstances than Washington or many other larger cities of our country. Now I would like to speak for myself and say, that any stranger who enters our "gates" and doesnt like our dogs (hospitality or no hospitality) can find these gates wide open and vamoose p. d. q. S. B.

NOTICE.—CAMP M. D. CORSE, S. C. V., will hold its regular monthly meeting at Lee Camp Hall on MONDAY EVENING, July 13, at 8 o'clock.

jy11 2t C. W. O'MEARA, Adjutant.

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NOTICE.

Alexandria, Va., July 6, 1908.

The following described articles will be sold at public auction on THURSDAY, JULY 16, at Samuel H. Lunt's auction rooms, 115 north Fairfax street, to satisfy a claim of the Fairfax Apartment House Company against George D. Dearborn: One chiffonier, one dresser, one rocking chair, four dining room chairs, one iron bed with springs and mattress and one dining room extension table.

jy6 10t R. H. COX, City Sergeant.

Reductions in RAISINS and CURRANTS.—Best Seeded Raisins, 12c. Best Cleaned Currants, 10c. For sale by J. C. MILBURN.

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Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	744,667 84
U. S. Deposits	51,152 96
Other Liabilities	2,051 14
	$1,183,662.41

Resources.

Loans and Investments	$820,006 79
U. S. Bonds	152,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Banking House and Real Estate	26,001 28
Cash	47,961 09
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	129,693 25
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,183,662 41

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Others who have not opened account with our Savings Department are invited to open accounts and note how rapidly their funds will increase by regular deposit and interest earned.

Alexandria National Bank,
CORNER OF KING AND ROYAL STREETS,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received until noon, July 15th, and then opened, for the erection of the Lee School Building, Alexandria, Va.

Proposals must be addressed to Mr. Chas. M. Robison, architect, and placed in the hands of Dr. Wm. M. Smith, chairman of the building committee of the Alexandria School Board. Drawings and specifications can be had from Dr Wm. M. Smith, 207 south Washington street. The building committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to accept any bid that may seem best to the interest of the School Board, and reserve the right to extend the time of receiving bids.

WM. M. SMITH,
Chairman Building Committee
je27 td — of Alexandria School Board.

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Several small pieces of beautiful land for sale containing from

ONE TO SIX ACRES EACH.

Also lots 50x130 feet SINGLY OR IN GROUPS, convenient to railroads and about one mile from Alexandria and five from Washington city Terms to suit.

R. F. KNOX,
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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of July, 1908.

Gertrude B. Weaver } In Chancery.
vs.
Schuyler D. Weaver }

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Schuyler D. Weaver, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
L. H. Machen, p. q. jy6 w4w m

Reduction in Tomatoes. 3 cans Nanticoke 25c. S. & W. Tomatoes 11c each.
J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.
SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 11, 1908

Finding a Horseshoe.

There is a man who has a very poor idea of the horseshoe as a bringer of good luck.

"I found one in the road some time ago," he remarked. "As a matter of fact, another old gentleman found it also about the same time. We both wanted it, and there was a tussle for it.

"I got the shoe, a black eye, a torn finger from a rusty nail in the shoe and a summons for assault and battery.

"It wasn't a very good start, but I thought I'd give it a fair trial. Of course in nailing the shoe up above the front door I managed to smash my thumb and fall from the stepladder.

"Then I sat down and waited for the luck to begin. That shoe seemed to be endowed with the power to attract trouble in every form.

"Duns, bailiffs, the landlord, measles and poverty were rarely out of the house, and my faith was shaken.

"Then one day, when the rate collector was standing on the top step that shoe came down with a crash"—

"Ah!" interrupted the sympathizer. "Luck at last!"

"Not a bit of it," sighed the unlucky one. "It missed him by a foot."—London Answers.

The Way of Womankind.

Women are indefatigable in their analysis of conduct. A man accepts a white ray of light for what it is; a woman passes it through a prism and resolves it into its component rays. If I pass Mrs. A. in the street without saluting her she conjectures a dozen painful motives to account for my absentmindedness. If she passes me I conclude that she is shortsighted or absentminded.

If I say to my niece Molly that 2 and 2 make 4 she consents, but is unconvinced. But if I show her this little formula—1½+½+1¾+¼=4—she is at once all alive with interest and sits down to work it out and proclaim in triumph that it is so. From a hard and dull statement of the fact it has become a problem and an intrigue, and here she is in her element.

That is the way of womankind in all relations to life.—"Comments of Bagshot."

This Makes It Very Plain.

The meaning of the word "swastika" is "It is well," or good luck. The meaning of the symbol is more complex. Some folks trace it to the sun.

"The emblem is the sun in motion," argued Professor Max Muller. "A wheel with spokes was actually replaced by what we now call swastika. The swastika is, in fact, an abbreviated emblem of the solar wheel with spokes in it, the tire and the movement being indicated by the cramprus.

"It is the summary in a few lines of the whole work of creation," said Mme. Blavatsky; "is evolution, as one should say, from cosmotheogony down to anthropogeny, from the indivisible unknown to materialistic science, whose genesis is as unknown to that science as that of the all Deity itself. The swastika is found heading the religious symbols of every old nation."

The Defect In His Dressing.

The professor of surgery in one of England's universities has the reputation of being one of the most painstaking and delicate operators in Britain, thoughtful of the patient and careful in the clinic. One day in the course of a clinical demonstration he turned to a student who had just commenced his studies with the question:

"Now, sir, can you tell me what is wrong with my dressing?"

The ingenuous youth turned red and preserved a discreet silence. The professor, however, was not to be put off and repeated the question. After a long pause the youth stammered out in a fit of desperation:

"Well, sir, if you insist on my telling you, I should say your tie is not quite straight."—London Globe.

Kodol will without doubt help anyone who has stomach disorders or stomach troubles Take Kodol today and continue it for the short time that is necessary to give you complete relief. Kodol is sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Twenty-Five Cents Is the Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

Annual Meeting Grand Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, Dallas, Tex., July 12-18.

On account of the above the Southern Railway has arranged low round trip rates from all coupon points on its lines. Dates of sale July 9, 10 and 11; return limit leaving Dallas not later than August 8. Stop-overs west of Mississippi river on going trip only. For further information consult nearest Southern Railway agent or write J. S Brown, General Agent, Washington, D. C.

Summer School for Colored Teachers.

From June 29 to July 28 there will be held at the Manassas Industrial School, Manassas, a Summer Institute for colored teachers. This school will be conducted under the auspices of the Department of Public Instruction of the State. An examination will be conducted at the close of the session by Dr H. M. Clarkson, County Superintendent of Schools. For information as to terms and course of study, write LESLIE PINCKNEY HILL, Conductor, Manassas, Va.

Reduced Rates.

Summer School of the South, Knoxville, Tenn., June 23-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 21, 22, 23, 27, 28; July 4, 5, 11 and 19. Return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Summer School, Athens, Ga., June 29-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 27, 28, 29; July 4, 6, 11 and 18. Final return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

FOUNDERS AND MACHINISTS.

J. & H. AITCHESON,
PRACTICAL MACHINISTS AND ENGINEERS,
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MARINE AND STATIONARY ENGINES
Blacksmithing and Steam Fitting. Engineers' and Machinists' Supplies, and all sort of mill work and that connected with brick work promptly executed. Repairing promptly done.
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E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

A good thing to use after washing your hair—NICKLIN'S HAIR TONIC. 25 cents Manufactured by
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Cramps

Thousands of ladies suffer agonies every month. If you do, stop and think. Is it natural? Emphatically and positively—NO! Then make up your mind to prevent or cure this needless suffering!

TAKE CARDUI
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It Will Help You

"I suffered 9 years" writes Mrs. Sarah J. Hoskins, of Cary, Ky. "I had female trouble and would nearly cramp to death. My back and side would nearly kill me with pain. I tried everything to get relief, but failed, and at last began to take Cardui. Now I can do my housework with ease and I give Cardui the praise for the health I enjoy." Try.

AT ALL DRUG STORES

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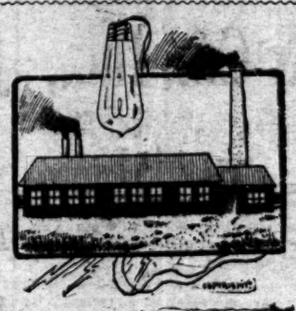

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are better for being electric. Just think that with a little concealed wire run through your house you can do almost anything. You can light the house, cook the dinner, run the sewing machine, and

Turn the Electric Fan.

Stop and let us show how many other things you can do besides. Then give us the order for the wiring. The cost is not high.

Alexandria Electric Co.
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An investment you wish to make, rest assured the safest investment you can possibly make is to deposit your money in the Savings Department of this corporation where it will earn 3 per cent. interest compounded twice a year. Your principal will then be always at your command and cannot depreciate in value. You can start an account with this corporation for $1.00 or upwards. If you have other investments in view isn't it advisable to have your MONEY MAKING MONEY while you are deciding this matter. There's many a $1 or $5 bill spent unnecessarily because it is carried in the pocket, when a savings account would have discouraged or prevented the expenditure. A bank account is not only a convenience, but a great encourager of economy, so why not commence right and open an account with us today. We invite you to do so and promise courteous and liberal treatment consistent with sound banking methods.

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Capital Paid In, $300,000.
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WHOLESALE GROCERS,
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And Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,
Have on hand Gibson's XX, XXX, XXXX and Pure Old Rye, Old Cabinet and Monogram Whiskies; also Baker's and Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskies, to which they invite the attention of the trade.
Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.
Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market prices and prompt returns
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Country Produce received daily. Our stock of Plain and Fancy Groceries embraces everything to be had in this line.
We hold largely in United States bonded warehouse and carry in stock various brands of the best
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Satisfaction Guaranteed as to Prices and Quality.
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NOTICE.—Having qualified as executrix of the estate of MARY V. TRAVERS, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement of their indebtedness, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for settlement
MABEL A. TRAVERS, Executrix,
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MEETINGS.

INTERNATIONAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Washington, D. C. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the International Building and Loan Association, of Washington, D. C., will be held at the office of Judge J. K. M. Norton, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at 10:45 a. m. WEDNESDAY, July 22, 1908, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other appropriate business. CHAS. LYMAN, President.
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SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE—The undersigned being the holders of more than one-tenth of the capital stock of the SOUTHERN HOMES COMPANY, Incorporated, hereby give notice that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of said company held at its principal office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of July, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of ratifying a certain contract entered into between said company and Mr. Otway B. Zantzinger; and further, because of the failure to have called and held in February, 1908, the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the company as provided by its by-laws. At this special meeting officers and directors of the company will be elected for the current year.
H. RANDALL WEBB,
O. J. MOAT,
jy9 td WILLIAM H. BADEN.

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Designated Depository of the United States.

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for wood or coal with me if you want it filled promptly with fuel which will "make good." My coal has a large percentage of burnable material, is carefully cleaned and screened, is full weight to the ton and is delivered where and when you want it. My wood is dry, sawed, split or in lengths Remember my telephone number—192.

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MANUFACTURERS OF
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Ask your dealer for the Alexandria Fertilizer & Chemical Co.'s Products.
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Manufacturers of
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Office: 117 King street.
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Northern mails, week days, close at 7 10 a. m., and 8 45, 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 8 45 a. m., 2 30, and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7.10 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 25, 6 00 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 45 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 6 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

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All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

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Mild Cured and Old Virginia and Missouri HAMS, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

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RAILROADS.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY
Trains leave Union Station Alexandria
In Effect April 19th, 1908.

N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

8:07 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg, Warrenton Danville and way stations.

8:33 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for Charlottesville and points south at which scheduled to stop. First class coaches and drawing-room sleepers for New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 P. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Jacksonville. Tourist to California tri-weekly.

4:32 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Sleeper to Charlotte. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 8:43, and 11:13 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 7:2 M., 1:40 and 4:28 P. M. week days, and 8:15 P. M. daily for Bluemont; 6:35 P. M. week days for Leesburg; 9:08 and 9:26 A. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to
WILLIAM G. LEHEW, Union Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va.
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Washington, D. C.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.
LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10, 6 20 6 35, 6 45, 7 00, 7 10, 7 20, 7 35, 7 50, 8 00, 8 15, 8 20, 8 30, 8 50, 9 10, 9 30, 9 50, 10 10, 10 30, 10 50, 11 10, 11 25, 11 30, 11 50 a. m., 12 10, 12 25, 12 30, 12 50, 1 10, 1 25, 1 30, 1 50, 2 10, 2 25, 2 30, 2 50, 3 10, 3 25, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 30, 4 35, 4 50, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 6 50, 7 10, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 7 35, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 0, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20 and 11 40 a. m., 12 00, 12 20, 12 40, 1 00 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 25, 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and 8 46 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 46 and 10 16 p.m.

SCHEDULE FOR ALEXANDRIA CITY CAR.

NORTHBOUND.

Leave Ferry Wharf 8 16, 8 41, 9 10, 9 50, 10 25, 11 00, 11 35 a. m.; 12 30, 1 05, 1 35, 2 05, 2 45, 3 30, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 30, 7 05, 7 45, 8 25, 9 00, 9 40 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

Leave Spring Park 8 05, 8 30, 8 55, 9 35, 10 10, 10 45, 11 20 a. m.; 12 15, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50 2 30, 3 15, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 30, 6 05, 6 50, 7 25, 8 10, 8 45, 9 25, 10 00 p. m.

Washington Southern Ry
Schedule in effect April 12th 1908.

Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8 02 and 9 33 a. m., 12 01 2 20, 8 07, 9 23, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 33 a. m., 12 01, 12 13, 8 52, 9 23 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 22, 4 37, and 9 22 a. m., 4:02, 5 07 (local), and 6 37 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 37, 6 48, and 9 22 a. m. 4 02, 5 07 (local), and 6 37 p. m.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 8 48 a. m. week days.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

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Washington and Potomac STEAMBOAT CO.
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Steamer Harry Randall—Monday and Wednesday at 6 p. m. for Lower Potomac landings—Dills to Lower Machodoc Creek. Saturday, 9 a. m., for landings between Glymont and Nomini.

Steamer Wakefield—Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday at 9 a. m. for upper Potomac landings—to Colonial Beach and Mattox Creek.

Steamer Estelle Randall—Daily, 8.15 a. m. for Glymont and intermediate points. Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday to Gunders in addition. Return trip same day.

Schedule subject to tide and weather and to change without notice.

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Fare FIVE CENTS each way
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STEAMER "LACKAWANNA."

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Leave Washington at 6.00, 7.30, 9.00 and 10.30 a. m., 12:00 noon, 1.30, 3.00, 4.30 and 6.00 p. m.

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